IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, ANDHRA PRADESH
AT HYDERABAD

THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE N.V. RAMANA

WRIT PETITION NO :336 of 2007

DATED: 19.01.2007

Between:

K.Chatp[aduaua.
...petitioner

And

The A.P. State Road Transport Corporation,
Rep. by its Managing Director, Musheerabad,
Hyderabad and ors
....Respondents

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ORAL ORDER:

The present writ petition is filed seeking to direct the 1st respondent/Managing Director, A.P.S.R.T.C to consider and dispose of the representation of the petitioner dated 9-10-2005 and consequently direct the respondents to reinstate the petitioner into service with all consequential benefits including back-wages.

The petitioner is employed as Conductor in the respondent corporation having joined the respondent corporation in the year 1979. He was removed from service by order dated 16-7-2002 of the 3rd respondent/Depot Manager for certain cash and ticket irregularities. Against the order of removal dated 16-7-2002 petitioner filed appeal before the Divisional Manager (Urban), Visakhapatnam and the Divisional Manager by order dated 27-1-2003 rejected the same. Aggrieved by the order of the Divisional Manager dated 27-1-2003, review preferred by the petitioner, before the 2nd respondent/Regional Manager was also rejected confirming the order of the Divisional Manager dated 27-1-2003. Thereupon, petitioner made an application before the Legal Services Committee on 15-6-2005 and the said committee in turn referred the matter to the 1st respondent/Managing Director and the matter is

pending consideration before the 1st respondent and till date no orders are passed. Petitioner filed W.P.No.19120 of 2006 seeking direction to the 1st respondent/Managing Director to consider the case of the petitioner for reinstatement and the same was subsequently withdrawn and the present writ petition is filed.

When the matter came up for hearing, the learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner wants to approach the labour Court questioning the removal order dated 16-7-2002 and sought permission of this Court to withdraw the writ petition with a liberty to approach the labour Court.

Submission of the learned counsel for the petitioner is placed on record and the writ petition is dismissed as withdrawn with a liberty to the petitioner to approach the labour Court questioning the removal order dated 16-7-2002. No costs.

N.V.RAMANA,J
DATE: 19.01. 2007
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